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## There's Money In This Country Yet!

## >Our Sale Has Proven! <

Such bargains as we are offering  
now will

### ALWAYS FIND MONEY!

If you will come in and allow us to  
show you what we are offer-  
ing we'll find YOUR  
money too!

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Sept. 1, 1896.

EDMUND HARRISON President.

## The Last Cut-Price Sale—

Of the Season Commences August 15 and Ends August 25.

### We are going to offer Some MOVING BARGAINS.

These are but a few of them and we  
have many others as good.

\$1—worth \$1.50 and \$2

25¢—worth \$1 and \$1.50

20 pairs Mens Congress Shoes

16 pairs Ladies Fancy Oxfords

13 pairs Mens Lace Shoes

23 pairs Children's Slippers & Oxfords

20 pairs Boys' Lace & Congress Shoes

18 pairs Misses' Oxfords and Tans

52—worth \$2.50 to \$3

50¢—worth \$1.50 to \$2

15 pairs Mens Cong. and Lace Shoes

15 pairs Ladies' Oxfords

12 pairs Mens Lace Shoes cap toe

23 pairs Ladies' Kid Button

18 pairs Boys' Lace Shoes, cap toe

17 pairs Children's Oxfords, Blk, Tan

\$3 and \$3.50—worth \$5

\$1—worth \$2 to \$3

55 pairs Men's Fine Hand-sewed

19 pairs Ladies' Oxfords

Shoes—Edwin Clapp make

12 pairs Ladies' patent tip Button

Some go at \$3, some at \$3.50

15 pairs Ladies C. S. Button

MONARCH SHIRTS, (colored,) \$5 and \$1; worth \$1.25 and \$1.50

MEN'S Hats 1-4 off Regular Prices.

Come and look at our hat stock, it will pay you

#### HOSIERY DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' 15c Black Hose, fast colors, for 10c

Ladies' 25c Black Hose, fast colors, 40 guage, 18c, two for 35c

Ladies' 30c Black Hose, fast colors, hand-shaped, for 20c

All Tan Hose at HALF PRICE

If you don't come you will regret it.....

PETREE & CO.

SIGN OF THE BIG BOOT.

#### GOT IT STRAIGHT.

MILLIONAIRE MCGOWAN WRITES A LETTER TO HIS AGENTS.

He Gets A Big Hot Silver Argument In Return—The Texts of The Two Letters.

OFFICE OF  
MCGOWAN HARVESTING MACHINE CO.  
Chicago, August 17, 1896.

Messrs. Winfree Bros. & Co.,

Gentlemen:—

We have never before been so

at a loss to lay out our plans and

work for the next season as we are at

this time. If we feel sure the election

would go for sound money and rea-

sonable protection, we should push

forward with our manufacturing. We

have had the largest business of any

of the large concerns of our country

empty. It takes every hour of our

capacity to supply our trade. If we

thought the country would go for un-

limited coinage of silver, we should

not wish to run our shops for more

than one-half the present capacity.

To this end we hand you addressed

postal card, and ask you to fill it out

sign and return to us.

Yours Truly,

MCGOWAN HARV. MACHINE CO.

The Reply They Got.

OFFICE OF  
WINFREE BROS. & CO.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Aug. 22, 1896.

McGowen Harv. Machine Co.,

Gentlemen:—

In answer to yours of recent

date in regard to the silver question

we will say that we are loyal Demo-

crats here and almost to a man will

support the grand and noble platform

adopted by the Democratic party.

As members of the Democratic of these

United States. Mr. Carlisle in his

great speech in 1878 made some pre-

dictions which have come true to the

letter, and we believe that the resto-

ration of silver (which has been legis-

lated against us) will come in good

and good times.

The gray haired men of to-day remember

"the close of that memorable conflict

when the land they loved—the South

—one so fair and rich and powerful,

lay bleeding and gasping in the ashes

of their own destruction. The

fields were laid waste, their wealth

consumed, their cities battered and

burned, and their once

happy homes made mournful and

desolate by the ravages of civil war."

We are standing upon a precipice as

awful as the sun that fell—our wives

we fall, our fall—their fall—our wives

and children and our home will fall with us.

The moneyed kings of this land

will soon own the very ground we

tread upon and it behoves every true

American to put forth every effort

and energy to repel the invasion.

"Brushed aside the tears of their

weeping women and pledged them to

a brighter day when the shadows van-

ished and the clouds rolled by," we

we pledge a persecuted people by re-

storing one half the money so ruth-

lessly taken from us to repel the

invaders of their mortgages and

become once again a prosperous people.

We are standing upon a precipice as

awful as the sun that fell—our wives

and children and our home will fall with us.

The moneyed kings of this land

will soon own the very ground we

tread upon and it behoves every true

American to put forth every effort

and energy to repel the invasion.

These are but a few of them and we

have many others as good.

Very Respectfully,

Winfree Bros. & Co.

At the bottom of the page, there is a note:

"If you don't come you will regret it.....

"PETREE & CO.

SIGN OF THE BIG BOOT.

#### RODE ON PASSES.

THE RAILROADS "SAT THEM UP" TO THE BOLTONS.

Three Hundred Delegates On Hand And Many "Has Passes" and Back Numbers Were Bobbed Up.

Louisville, Aug. 20.—By the lavish use of railroad passes and the drumming up of crowds by the railroad attorneys who made themselves active in distributing the passes, the Boltonists and Bondocrats succeeded in making up an outside attendance of 250 or 300 people at their convention to-day.

It was chiefly a crowd of corporation attorneys and bank officers with a sprinkling of countrymen who were tempted to come to town by the rare privilege of riding on a free pass.

But the delegation in connection with their Louisville sympathizers made a good showing in Music hall and during Breckinridge's speech the lower floor was full.

Your correspondent made it a point to look upon all the district meetings at noon and count the men present. There was a good attendance from the Third, Fifth, Seventh and Eighth districts. The number of the other district meetings ranged from eleven to thirty. More than half the counties in the State were not represented at all and the voting by proxy was common.

The railroad attorneys did not deny that they had emptied their pass books in working up the crowd, and said, "You seem to be on to us!"

Aside from Breckinridge there was no great drawing card in the gathering. The men and newspaper who two years ago were most abusive of Breckinridge, were to-day adulating him.

The silver men of Louisville who

were multiplying daily, look upon this

as a great opportunity to do

utterly oblivious of the fact that he had transformed one of Shakespeare's characters into a mustang pony.

Mr. Frank's machinery finally ran down and the audience escaped into the open air.

SOUNDS LIKE A LIE.

A Meteor Covers Two Acres and Causes Down Sizing Hot.

Tucson, Ariz., Aug. 16, 1896.—Major

Thomas Hays, of Louisville, Ky.,

Dr. P. M. Smith, of Hagerstown, Md.,

and a party of nine men, who have just returned from the Ripsy mines,

report the fall of an immense meteor

which struck the desert about two

miles north of Hays' ranch, and was the same distance south of the Ripsy mines.

It fell on Sunday night, the 9th inst., about 9 o'clock. Members

of the party who were camped at

Hays' say the concussion was terrible,

rocks were upset, dishes were

thrown on the floor and the house

were blown out of the foundation.

The noise was like that of many

cannon fired simultaneously.

The air miles around was filled with

sulphurous gas, and the meteor came

down about two acres of ground, and now

forms a great mound in the desert.

A herder's hut and corral were in the

vicinity of the meteorite.

That this is the success of old Democ-

racy and Bryan and Sewall. Vic-

tory is sure, for the prayers of the

mothers and daughters all over this

broad land will be answered.

It is the first time in history that

such a meteorite has fallen in the

United States.

It is the seventh largest in the world.

It is the second largest in the United

States.

It is the third largest in the world.

It is the fourth largest in the United

States.

It is the fifth largest in the world.

It is the sixth largest in the United

States.

It is the seventh largest in the world.

It is the eighth largest in the United

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It is the ninth largest in the world.

It is the tenth largest in the United

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It is the eleventh largest in the world.

It is the twelfth largest in the United

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It is the thirteenth largest in the world.

It is the fourteenth largest in the United

States.

It is the fifteenth largest in the world.

It is the sixteenth largest in the United

States.

It is the seventeenth largest in the world.

It is the eighteenth largest in the United

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It is the nineteenth largest in the world.

It is the twentieth largest in the United

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It is the twenty-first largest in the world.

It is the twenty-second largest in the United

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It is the twenty-fifth largest in the world.

It is the twenty-sixth largest in the United

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It is the twenty-seventh largest in the world.

It is the twenty-eighth largest in the United

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It is the twenty-ninth largest in the world.

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It is the fifty-seventh largest in the world.

It is the fifty-eighth largest in the United

States.

It is the fifty-ninth largest in the world.

It is the sixty-largest in the United

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—TUESDAY, AUGUST 25, 1896.—

## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT,  
WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN,  
OF NEBRASKA.FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,  
ARTHUR SEWALL,  
OF MAINE.

## DEMOCRATIC ELECTORAL TICKET.

State Jas. P. Tarrin, Kenton,  
at large; G. W. Smith, Madison;  
First — J. C. Barnes, Ky.;  
Second — W. B. Bradford, Daviess;  
Third — E. D. Drake, Allen;  
Fourth — Gus Brown, Breckinridge;  
Fifth — Wallace McKay, Jefferson;  
Sixth — Harvey Myers, Kenton;  
Seventh — P. L. S. Fayette, Fayette;  
Eighth — H. L. Carter, Anderson;  
Ninth — W. G. Ramsey, Bath;  
Tenth — T. J. Wells, Morgan;  
Eleventh — Henry Beauchamp, Met-  
calfe.

FOR CONGRESS,  
JOHN D CLARDY,  
OF CHRISTIAN.FOR JUDGE COURT OF APPEALS,  
JAMES D. WHITE,  
OF BALLARD.

**WE DEMAND** the free and un-  
limited coinage of both gold and  
silver at the present legal ratio of 16  
to 1, without waiting for the aid or  
consent of any other nation. We de-  
mand that the standard silver dollar  
shall be a full legal tender equally  
with gold for all debts, public and  
private—Democratic National Plat-  
form, 1896.

Free coinage means that silver and  
gold bullion shall be coined without  
charge by the United States mints.

Unlimited coinage means that all  
the gold and all the silver present-  
d at the United States mints shall be  
coined into money.

The ratio of 16 to 1 means that the  
number of grains of pure silver in a  
silver dollar shall be sixteen times the  
number of grains of pure gold in a  
gold dollar.

By a full legal tender is meant that  
when a debtor offers either gold or  
silver to a creditor in any sum what-  
ever, the creditor is bound to accept  
the same and discharge the debtor  
from his liability.

The Bolterists decided not to try  
to raid the Democratic hen-roost for  
a party emblem. They went to the  
graveyard instead and slandered the  
memory of a statesman who has  
been dead for 70 years by adopting  
“The head of Thomas Jefferson, sur-  
rounded by a wreath of hickory leaves,” as their voting device. It is  
enough to make the author of the  
Declaration of Independence turn over in his grave to have those in fa-  
vor of the British system claim to be  
his followers.

The poll made in Hopkinsville just  
before the May convention showed 128 votes for the gold standard and  
247 for bimetallism. Of these 128 a second poll has been made and 34 of  
them are now 16 to 1 silver men.  
About 25 or 30 others support the  
party ticket and some are still unde-  
cided. The silver cause is gaining  
way changes every week while nobody  
can name a silver man who has  
changed to the gold side.

The Democrats of Louisville have  
ominated I. B. Nall for Mayor. With  
the gold-bullion vote divided between  
Todd and Jacob, his chances are by  
no means hopeless, although the Re-  
publican and Bolteristic dailies are  
expected to fight him bitterly with the  
weight of the Democratic ticket.

Dress Juridic will be the Jonah of  
the Bolterists. Few decent people  
will care to mix up in a movement  
with such cattle as he is at the head  
of it.

The Owensboro Messenger says:

“A number of the leading spirits in  
the Bolterist convention at Louisville  
do not hesitate to say, in private con-  
versation, that it was their purpose to re-  
vote for McKinley in November if it  
became apparent to them that it was  
necessary to beat Bryan in Kentucky.  
They are not telling this to the good  
Democrats they are trying to talk off  
into this third party movement. They  
are pretending it is only their pur-  
pose to re-organize the Demo-ratic  
party, and build up as strong a neu-  
tral nucleus for it in this campaign as possi-  
ble. They are trying to persuade  
men to go into this movement whose  
souls would revolt at this time at the  
suggestion of voting for a Republican  
like McKinley, but in the course of  
sixty days they hope to work up these  
converts to the point of acting attorney  
pro se to do at the November election.  
They are acting under the ad-  
vice and instructions of Mr. Hanna.  
Their organization is nothing more  
or less than a McKinley Aid  
Society.”

Dr. J. D. Clardy was in the city yes-  
terday for the first time in a week. He  
has heard nothing from the Populist  
proposition to be submitted, nor has  
any official communication been had  
with the chairman of the Democratic  
District Committee. Capt. C. D. Bell,  
the Populist nominee, has not been to  
town since his nomination and it is  
not known what his intentions are in  
regard to the race.

Dr. E. M. Neil, warden of the  
Frankfort penitentiary, died Friday.  
He had been prominent in State  
politics for some years, having served a  
term in the State Senate. His home  
was in Adair county and his remains  
were taken to that county for inter-  
ment. The scramble for the vacancy  
made by his death began before the  
dead warden was buried.

Only 20 voters were present at the  
Hart county “convention” in which  
Buckner’s boom for vice-President  
was first launched. The meeting  
was held in a private room of a hotel  
in Munfordville and even the dis-  
gusted woodcock that has been miss-  
ing since Franks was nominated came  
long enough to make a few ad-  
ditional remarks.

The Bolterists selected as their  
delegates-at-large to the rump con-  
vention:

Breckinridge, seducer.  
Carroll, bolter.  
Broder, corporation lawyer.

Buckner, millionaire bank number.  
It will be observed that Willie’s, leads  
the name, like Abou Ben Adhem’s, leads  
the rest.

The Henderson Journal says the  
attempt to get Hon. John W. Lockett  
to run as a bolting Demo-  
cratic candidate for Congress is likely  
to fail. His law partner, Hon. Mal-  
colm Yeaman, is a loyal Democrat  
and a supporter of Dr. Clardy, and it  
is not believed that Mr. Lockett will  
be a party to the Republican scheme to  
embarrass the Democratic nominee.

Hoke Smith has maintained his  
self respect by leaving the Cabinet,  
when given the alternative of bolting  
his party ticket or getting out of the  
nest of traitors in which he found  
himself. Well done for Smith. He  
is a man all over and will be heard  
from in the future.

Mr. John Montgomery, of Prov-  
idence, Ky., is working up a reunion  
of California pioneers at Madison-  
ville Sept. 22. All people who went to  
California in 1849 and 1850 are ex-  
pected to attend. Correspondence ad-  
vised.

The idea of asking Mr. Bryan to  
“divided time” with a confessed and  
convicted seducer would be an insult  
and the mere suggestion of such  
thing is doubtless intended as an in-  
dication.

Hon. I. H. Goddard of Franklin,  
is a popular Democratic candidate  
for governor in 1899.

Mr. Bryan has accepted an invita-  
tion to dine with Senator Hill to-day.

\$5.00 to Chicago and Return.

On Saturday August 29th the Er-  
aville & Terre Haute Railroad will  
run an excursion from Evansville to  
Chicago and return at rate of \$5. for  
the round trip, tickets good going on  
all regular trains. Saturday August 29th,  
and limited to three days for re-  
main Chicago longer. And do not forget  
to buy depositing their tickets with R. Bookwalter, City Passenger  
& Ticket Agent, C. & I. R. R., 182  
Clark St., Chicago, Ill., secure an ex-  
tension of time for three days on their  
tickets. F. P. Jeffries, G. P. A., Evansville,  
Ind., H. R. Griswold, A. G. P. A.

## ANDREWS FOR FREE CO.

Views of the President of the  
United States.

New York, Aug. 15.—The  
Denver Colorado is a world's  
Rev. Henry W. Pinkham, pastor of  
the First Baptist church and a  
friend of President Andrew, of  
Brown University, recently wrote  
Mr. Andrews, asking these ques-  
tions:

1. Do you favor the free coinage of  
silver at 16 to 1 by the  
United States without waiting for the  
consent of other nations?

2. Could the United States, having  
adopted such free coinage maintain  
the practical parity of the gold and  
silver dollar?

3. Would not the coinage by the  
United States alone add to a complete  
discrepancy of our gold?

4. Would not the effect of the  
recent increased production of gold as  
compared to silver coinage counterbal-  
anced in the amount of free coinage by  
the stimulus thus given to silver mining  
and by the influx of foreign silver?

5. Would not the advantages of  
free coinage be more than negated by  
the loss of gold coinage, the char-  
acter of which is the chief value?

In reply, President Andrews has  
written:

1. I do.  
2. I do not know.

3. I do not think so. People  
would not hoard or export gold in  
the face of a movement certain to cheapen  
gold. It seems to me more  
likely that the rehabilitation of sil-  
ver by us would be the occasion of set-  
ting free vast amounts of gold now  
hoarded for military and other pur-  
poses.

4. This partly answered under the  
last. Further there would be no in-  
flux of foreign silver. Undoubtedly  
free coinage by us would increase  
the amount of silver produced, but  
the new silver could not be mined at  
so low a marginal cost as at present  
prevails. The marginal cost would  
be increased with the output, so that all tendency  
to increase the world price of silver  
would be negated. The very  
prolific silver mines are now very few.

5. Quite the reverse. After a possi-  
ble first shock our credit would im-  
prove with free coinage. It is our  
present course to run down our  
own power and to rely on foreign  
lenders. How long could a  
country hold up, even if we lost our  
gold? On a gold basis this  
course is inevitable; and that at this  
moment is the reason why foreign  
lenders shun us. There must be a  
chance if we would avoid  
bankruptcy, with free coinage every  
industry would look up, and even if we  
lost our gold our prosperity would  
still remain. England, Japan and  
Russia are examples of countries  
which have adopted the same policy  
with success.

6. After a possible first shock our  
credit would improve with free  
coinage. It is our present course to  
run down our own power and to rely on  
foreign lenders. How long could a  
country hold up, even if we lost our  
gold? On a gold basis this  
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Russia are examples of countries  
which have adopted the same policy  
with success.

7. All persons indebted to Pyle &  
Renshaw will do well to come forward  
at once and settle. The business  
must be settled. Either we will give  
you a receipt with pleasure,  
or hint to the wife is sufficient.

A. W. PYLE,  
F. P. RENSHAW.

Sous persons may be opposed to the  
use, and some to the abuse of whis-  
key, yet its use is often necessary  
especially for medical purposes.  
In such cases the pure, un-  
adulterated stuff is needed—not a  
doctored, drugged combination—and  
when the I. W. HARPER is used,  
there is no chance if we would avoid  
bankruptcy. with free coinage every  
industry would look up, and even if we  
lost our gold our prosperity would  
still remain. England, Japan and  
Russia are examples of countries  
which have adopted the same policy  
with success.

8. For sale by W. R. LONG,  
HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

## Cures

Prove the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla—pos-  
itive, perfect permanent Cures.

Cures of scrofula in severest forms, goitre,  
swelled neck, running sores, hip  
swelling, scurvy, &c.

Cures of Salt Rheum, with its intense itching  
and burning, scald head, better, &c.

Cures of Catarrh to impure blood.

Cures of Diabetes and other troubles where  
the blood stomach tonic was needed.

Cures of Catarrh with great difficulty.

Cures of Ulcers, &c., &c.

Cures of That Tired Feeling by restoring  
strength. Send for book of cures by

To C. I. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills, aid digestion, 25c.

Gas Stoves

for cooking and baking. Special  
inducements offered. All

stoves are put in and guaranteed

by HOPKINSVILLE GAS & LIGHT-  
ING CO.

## SPECIAL LOCALS

## Dissolution.

The firm of Pyle & Renshaw has  
this day been dissolved by mutual  
consent. F. P. Renshaw retaining  
A. W. Pyle, who will conduct the business  
at the old stand.

All persons indebted to Pyle &  
Renshaw will do well to come forward  
at once and settle. The business  
must be settled. Either we will give  
you a receipt with pleasure,

A. W. PYLE,  
F. P. RENSHAW.

Sous persons may be opposed to the  
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industry would look up, and even if we  
lost our gold our prosperity would  
still remain. England, Japan and  
Russia are examples of countries  
which have adopted the same policy  
with success.

9. For sale by W. R. LONG,  
HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

## Wanted

An improved lot of two or three  
hundred acres. Must be good lime-  
stone land, located in a good neighbor-  
hood conveniently near school and  
church. Address with pri-

J. S. Donson,  
Pineville, Livingston Co.,  
Ky.

Coal! Coal!

W. G. Wood has opened a coal  
office at the corner of 5th and Water  
Streets, Metz's old stand. Mr. C. B.  
Eades will attend to the office. Give  
them a trial on the celebrated Pow-  
erful coal.

—The next session of Hopkinsville  
High School, for young men and  
boys, will open August 24th, 1896.  
For terms, &c., call on, or address,  
J. O. FERREL,  
Hopkinsville, Ky.

For Rent For 1897.

The dwelling and outbuildings of  
land for rent along the line of  
the K. & C. Ry., leaving Union  
depot foot of 4th St., at 50c. per  
month. This will be the only low rate  
excursion this summer, and all who  
desire to take an outing to the sea shore  
should take advantage of this low  
rate.

Tickets will be good returning until  
Sept. 5th. Sleeping car berth will be  
\$4. Single car berth \$2.50. Second class  
side trips to Washington, D. C., Philadel-  
phia, New York and points of interest  
around Old Point should be considered  
along with the varied in-  
dications of this trip.

Passengers returning will be al-  
lowed \$1.50 to Chicago and Return.

For Rent For 1897.

A well improved farm, situated  
on the Kentucky River, about one mile  
from the town of Clarksville, in the Cole  
man place, 5 acres fence enclosed,  
50 acres for wheat and 50 acres fine  
clover. For particulars apply to C.  
S. Coleman, Bennettstown, Ky., or J.  
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**BEAVERS FURNISH EVIDENCE**

Dam Built in Colonial Times Settles

Ownership of Valuable Land.

A very interesting suit has just been decided in the court of common pleas of Huntington county, says the Philadelphia Press.

About two years ago a Clearfield county surveyor, Thomas W. Moore, applied at the land office in Harrisburg for a warrant upon a tract of land in Carbon township, this county, claiming that the land was vacant. The warrant being issued, the Rock Hill Iron &amp; Coal company discovered that the tract was one of the most valued pieces of land worth \$40,000. They therefore filed a caveat protesting against Moore's claim, and at the hearing Secretary Stewart decided that the controversy was too complicated for him or his office, and referred it to the courts of the county for settlement.

Upon the trial of the case, which occupied six days, Moore claimed that the land called for in the old warrant of 1786, on which the company based their title, was not located on the tract in dispute at all, but somewhere else in the township.

The live trees having nearly all disappeared, the claimants had some trouble establishing their title had it not been that the old warrant of 1786 called for a beaver dam in Great Thorough creek and that the company had taken the precaution to send Prof. Wilcox of Philadelphia, an expert on beavers and their habits, and two surveyors down to search for the old dam. The professor and his assistants dug down to the bottom of the stream at the point where legend fixed its location. After taking out a couple of feet of wash and gravel, which accumulated in the bed of the creek within the last century, they were rewarded by finding the old dam made by the beavers, and prior to the excavation were the writing sticks of the dam were found buried side by side in regular order, and the marks of the beavers' teeth were plainly visible in the wood. When the sticks came in contact with the air they crumbled away to such an extent that it was with difficulty any were preserved and brought into court.

These relics from the beaver dam, with Prof. Wilcox's testimony, turned the tide in favor of the Rock Hill Iron company, and the jury had little trouble in agreeing upon a verdict in their favor.

**A QUEER NOTION.**

Can't Testify in Court to Anything Seen Through Glass.

"It is curious," says a Maine lawyer, "how prevalent the notion is that a person cannot testify as a witness in court to anything seen through glass." "What would you do with all those who wear spectacles and see everything through the glass?" asked a Maine judge not long ago, referring to that notion. If the glass through which an act or event was seen was wavy so as to distort the appearance of objects, that fact might nowadays raise a doubt as to the reliability of the evidence, but could not exclude it. The prevailing notion, doubtless, had its rise in very ancient days, when all the glass in use for windows was very much warped and blurred.

Such glass may be seen, a single pane of it, in the office of a little hotel in Canada, with a chair and kept as a relic. Where such material was in use it is little wonder that a witness was prevented from testifying as to what he saw through it. It was in common use in England at the time of the settlement of New England, and naturally in the early homes of this continent it was the best that could be had. But such a rule where modern glass is in common use would be nonsense." — Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

**Building a Nest.**

Nature tells a tale of a pair of rocks, evidently young birds, that strove to build a nest, and while each tried to lay the foundations down while the rocks, which fly far for nest materials instead of taking those close at hand, were away. At last, despairing of building a home by legitimate means, they fell upon completed nests of another pair. The owners were absent, tore it to pieces, and built a nest to stand that would stand in the wind. Then they made a superstructure in the clumsy and inexperienced way that young birds always do.

**Father of Modern Opera.**

Mozart was the greatest writer of operas and the father of the modern school. He was in most respects the greatest musical genius who ever lived. At the age of 5 he wrote compositions of much beauty, and died at 36, leaving over 800 finished compositions.

**First Locomotives in America.**

It is, in round numbers, 66 years since the first locomotive engine was imported into the United States for use on an experimental railway, and about 65 years since the first locomotive was built in America.

**RODE ON PASSES.**

(Continued from First Page.)

**ELECTRICAL DISPLAY.**

A Noisy Ball of Fire Comes Aboard a British Bark.

Capt. Dickson of the British bark Endora reports an unusual electrical display during a storm in the south Pacific. The Endora left Junin, Chile, on February 29, and while beating down the coast toward Cape Horn the storm was seen approaching the vessel's stern, snapping and sizzling like a wall of fire, but traveling only at a moderate speed, the wind being light at that time.

When the storm struck, the vessel blew with the force of a hurricane, and for a time it looked as if the masts would be blown out. There was a great electrical display all over the rigging, and a great ball of fire floated near the mizzenmast and exploded with a report like that of a Krupp gun. The crew were dazed and nearly blinded, but fortunately no one was seriously hurt. The vessel labored heavily in the sea, and the wire rigging was ablaze with electricity. The storm soon cleared away, and the sea at once became as calm as before.—Philadelphia Record.

**The Bicycle Jump.**

"What do you think of the bicycle craze?"

"Great thing! I never took so much good exercise before in my life."

"Why, I didn't know that you were riding."

"I'm not, but I have to cross the streets once in awhile."—Chicago Record.

**Lifetime of a Coin.**

A gold coin passes from one to another 2,000,000,000 times before the stamp or impression upon it becomes obliterated by friction, while a silver coin changes 3,250,000,000 times before it becomes entirely defaced.

**Republican Leader for Bryan.**

Mayfield, Ky., Aug. 18.—Quite a bomb was exploded in the camp of the Republicans in this district yesterday when it became known that Hon. A. D. Cosby, of this city, had given a letter to Hon. Walter S. Mason, Chairman of the McKinley club, of this county, in which he stated that he would support Bryan and the Populist ticket in November, and when he named his name to be withdrawn from the Graves county McKinley club.

Mr. Cosby holds the enviable position of being the only Republican who was ever elected to an office in this Graves county, with a Democratic majority of from 3,000 to 4,000. He served as a jailer of the county from 1875 to 1882, and was defeated for reelection by less than 500 votes. He was fifteen years on the Republican committee of this district. Mr. Cosby served four years as deputy revenue collector under Harrison administration, and was delegate from this district to the Republican national convention at Minneapolis in 1892.

Already 140 Republicans in Graves county have joined the Graves county Bryan and Sewell clubs. There are 2,200 Republican voters in the county and it is confidently expected that at least 350 of them will vote for Bryan and Sewall.

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**Lawn Fete at Lafayette.**

Lafayette, Aug. 21.—The most fashionable social function of the season was given at the town house of Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Williams, under the auspices of the leading young men of this place.

An Italian band furnished delightful music for the dancers and the magnificent lawn was filled with some of the noted Kentucky beauties and young girls whose chivalry is world renowned.

The supper was served under the oaks upon a floral board whose decoration were a marvel of beauty.

The lawn fete surpassed any entertainment in this section for many seasons.

The guests are deeply grateful to Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Williams and those who assisted in receiving.

The body of Michael Heisch, missing for three weeks, was found in the woods back of Newport. He had hanged himself.

Henry Watterson is an interview from Geneva, Switzerland, makes a bid for the Bolsecocratic nomination for President.

A girl at McMinnville, Tenn., who was engaged to be married next Sunday, committed suicide by shooting.

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## AS TO ROSE THYRST.

Who should all the other  
be?—The King of the Messen-  
Prof. W. M. Daniels, Uni-  
versity, protests again-  
st the silver move-  
ment because he de-  
sires it will rob  
the creditor by rais-  
ing the price.

Why should all the sympathy be  
reserved by the creditor? If he is  
robbed by a man, he is not  
left to the trained intellect of Prof.  
Daniels to figure out the losses of  
the debtors through the decline of the prices  
of products during the reign of the gold  
standard.

The aim of sound statesmanship  
and of good citizenship is to maintain exact  
justice in the laws between man and  
man. The creditor should have his bond  
to the furthering, but not a drop of  
blood. The debtor should pay his debt  
in full, but not be forced to do so at a  
single gold standard, constantly ap-  
preciating because of increasing demand  
and subject to the cornering manipula-  
tions of financial magnates, this is im-  
possible.

The nearest approach to the just  
law which exists at present is the  
law which is in effect between  
debtor and creditor, inasmuch as  
the gold standard, constantly ap-  
preciating because of increasing demand  
and subject to the cornering manipula-  
tions of financial magnates, this is im-  
possible.

The greatest Roman general  
was Caesar.

## LIFE'S THORNS.

... when you see them, be not afraid to  
face them. ... See them now with the eyes  
of life.

—Dr. Edward Arnold.

And what if there be thorns in thy path?

Do not let the rose grow upon the selfsame stem.

Why dwell upon the thorn when there is  
Upon the rose that just beside it grows?

And think you not that we may likely find  
That which we seek in the thorn, and  
That which we live in the rose?

That we are for ever here but not there.

We were undone and plunged in sin and  
woe.

Perhaps who knows indeed? If it were  
for the sad thorns that grieve us make our  
lives.

For then temptation would more allure.

Opportunity is oft the only thing  
That's needed, for the bird that has no  
wings can fly far, through e'er so much  
long.

To do the thing that yet he knows is wrong  
Or doesn't know, what is best, is best.

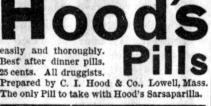
Go do it, friend, whatever it is, best.

To those eternal laws which never rest  
Without whose work not even a bird may  
fly.

—E. L. Craigmire, in Chicago Interio.

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Now, in the days of Frankenstein,  
it was so that Frankenstein,  
the king's messenger, went out into  
the land of the Hawkeye and made pro-  
clamation unto the people, saying:

"What dost thou know, and if  
thou knowest naught, what is it?"

For he said within himself:  
"Verily, that which they know not  
is as the sand upon the sea-shore as  
compared with that which they know,  
and it will go further to fill up."

But the people held their peace  
for the times were barren and there  
was a famine of items in the land.

And the king's messenger re-  
turned, and he quoted from the wise  
man and said: "Of a verity, it is as  
Solomon said when he was local on  
the Jerusalem Ovalands: there is  
nothing new under the sun."

But the king's messenger, while  
he looked upon the young man, let  
fall the lid of his eye, that it well-  
nigh closed, and he laid his finger  
upon his nose, and he said unto the  
young man: "Sonicie, be of good  
cheer; thou hast much to hear; nevertheless, this is the way the old  
things works."

And the next day the paper sold  
like smoke.

And the people marveled, and said  
one to another: "Is it not dreadful  
that daily such things should hap-  
pen in our midst?"

And they locked the doors ere  
they went to bed at night.

And the king's messenger held his  
peace and looked wise; and he said  
to the people: "No man but myself  
knoweth what day is to bring about  
the birth of—Bardeau's Rhetoric."

But the king's messenger, while  
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Now is the time to use shredded wheat if your digestion is bad. Wallis' grocery is the place to get it.

You can find everything in the grocery line at Wallis' as low in price as can be bought anywhere. One price to the monthly paying customer as the cash customer.\*

—Lost—in this city, Aug. 2, lady's gold watch. Letters B. M. on outside case. No. \$4658. Short piece broken off hour hand. Liberal reward if found. Return to this office.

The L. & N. will sell round trip tickets to Clarksville at one fare on Aug. 27, good returning until and on Aug. 28. Account Democratic Rally. J. M. Adams, Agt.

The Thirty-first Annual Sunday school convention of the Kentucky Sunday-school Union will convene in the First Baptist Church, Owensboro, to-day. The prospects are for a large and most profitable meeting.

Many farmers in Christian county made day laborers of themselves this summer for the first time in years in the war against tobacco worms, taking row for row with the hands in the fields.

The Young People's Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold a prayer meeting at the residence of Mr. James C. Jones, First St., Virginia, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Members of other societies are cordially invited to participate in this meeting.

The list of officers for the coming election is given in this issue. Of 112 officers about a dozen are negroes, an unusually small proportion. Some injustice has been done the Democrats by appointing negroes to the secretaries of the county and the law requiring a division of the offices. This is notably the case in Hopkinsville No. 4, the largest Democratic precinct in the county, where only one Democratic officer is appointed—the sheriff. This, however, was probably not done with intent to discriminate, but the list taken as a whole is a good one. Edwards' Mill precinct no Republicans were eligible and all of the officers are Democrats.

## Bids For Groceries.

Bids will be received on 10 bags of coffee, 1500 pounds bacon, tierces lard, 3 barrels of ham, 3 barrels of ham, 3 barrels of clarified sugar, 10 boxes Greenwich, 10 boxes Pretty soap, 3 barrels New Orleans molasses, to be furnished to Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane for the month of September. Prices to be on goods laid down at Hopkinsville, Ky. All goods to be first class quality. Goods will be selected from the lowest bid and bid on each article. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Bacon to be best clear sides, lard to be kettle rendered.

Respectfully,  
A. H. ANDERSON, Steward.

Nanthe Bryan and Sewall,

Mr. W. B. Wood, better known as "Billy" Wood, the contractor, whose sides at Midletown won to-day the highest bid in the J-fessor county. The mom in his wife presented him with twins, both boys.

The fact that a wife presented her husband with twins is nothing very unusual, but in this case it is remarkable. Mr. Wood and his wife have grown children, all of whom are married and have children. Another peculiar fact is that Mrs. Wood has had no children for over twenty years. —Louisville Times.

Cold Locker Says Nay.

Henderson, Aug. 22.—John W. Lockett declines to run for Congress. His nephew, John F. Lockett, is now spoken of for the nomination.

D. J. Campbell, the Michigan millionaire, who turned down Doc M. Dillman's offer to campaign chairman of the Democratic party and will take charge of the Chicago headquarters this week.



A cream of tartar baking powder, Highest in flavor and leavening strength.—Latest United States Government Food Report.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., New York.

## AROUND AND ABOUT.

At a colored dance near Lebanon Saturday night, because Charles Warner stepped on the partner's dress, Miss Mays shot and killed Warner and accidentally killed Charlie Peppes, a bystander, and wounded Bud Hardin. Mays escaped and is still at large.

A meeting of the State Railroad commission has been called for September 2 at Louisville. Several important matters including the Powers station and Franklin tobacco rates will be considered, and after the meeting this year inspection will be wound up with a tour of the railroad property in and about the city of Louisville.

The Hon. John D. White has announced that he will bring undoubted proof of fraud in the recent Republican primaries in the Eleventh district before the Congressional Committee September 16. He expects to be elected to the committee next month and his name will be placed on the ticket by petition and that he will be a candidate before the people in November. Colson has 581 majority on the face of the returns.

Three of the candidates for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the fourth Kentucky district are closely bunched. According to returns from the present election, Mr. Burdette, D. M. Dillman probably leads with thirty-one delegate votes, while Hon. H. H. Sweeney has twenty-eight and Hon. D. H. Smith twenty-seven. Green county is close between Sweeney and D. E. Smith. Hon. H. H. Smith claims he will get the vote of D. E. Smith and D. H. Smith the second closest. He seems to have no showing elsewhere. The district convention will be held at Hodgenville Thursday.

## Election Officers For 1886.

County Judge John W. Breathitt has appointed the following election officers to serve at the November election of this year and until August 1897. Any officer failing to perform the duties of the office, unless for good reason, shall be fined from \$25 to \$500:

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